

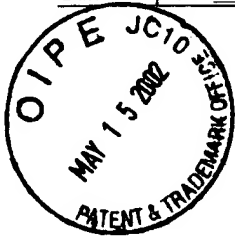
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POLYPEPTIDES AND NUCLEIC)
ACIDS ENCODING THE SAME)

RELEVANT PRIORITY DOCUMENTS

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Dear Sir:

The following priority documents are relevant to the presently claimed invention:

1. 60/075945; filed 2/25/1998
2. PCT/US98/25108; filed 12/1/1998
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